THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re A	application of:		§		
	Iris PECKER	et al	<i>ଊଊଊଊଊଊଊଊଊଊଊଊ</i>		
Serial	No.: 10/676,079	10/676,079			
Filed:	October 2, 20	October 2, 2003		Group Art Unit: 1644	
For:		ranase Specific Molecular Probes and r Use In Research and Medical Applications		Attorney	
Exami	ner: Marianne DI	BRINO, Ph.D.	§ §	Docket: 26871	
P.O. B	nissioner for Patents lox 1450 ndria, VA 22313-1450				
Sir:	PETITION AND F	EE FOR EXTENSION OF	TIME UNDE	R 37 CFR 1.136(a)	
(1)		nis is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed prIL 20, 2006, for a period of One (1) month.			
(2)	Applicant is a: _X_ small entity				
(3)	Extensions (months) one month two months three months four months four months	Fees for small entity \$ 60.00 \$ 225.00 \$ 510.00 \$ 795.00 \$1080.00	<u>smal</u> \$ 12 \$ 45 \$ 10 \$ 15	Fee for other than small entity \$ 120.00 \$ 450.00 \$ 1020.00 \$ 1590.00 \$ 2160.00	
(4)		An amendment _X_ is filed herewith has been filed			
(5)	Please charge the extension fee and any other amount required to Deposit Account No. 50-1407. A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.				

Respectfully submitted,

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